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FOR : MST1 MODULATION APOPTOSIS IN CARDIAC TISSUE AND
MODULATORS OF MST1 FOR TREATMENT AND PREVENTION
OF CARDIAC DISEASE

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 13, 2005, issued in connection with the above-identified Application, which is now due for response on February 13, 2005, please consider the following remarks.